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(SBU) Per reftel, USUN has approached the UK and French missions to propose a joint P-3 demarche concerning the resolution to renew the mandate of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004). USUN also shared proposed language for the demarche, consistent with reftel. Noting that London and Paris both had consulted with the Russians last week concerning the draft mandate renewal resolution, the UK and French missions' representatives to the 1540 Committee responded that any P-3 demarche to Moscow would need to be discussed and decided upon in London and Paris, rather than in New York. They suggested that Washington should reach out to counterparts in capitals concerning the proposed demarche.

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